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**AMENDMENT AND
REQUEST FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This paper is presented in response to the Office Action mailed January 9, 2004. 2004.

Attached hereto is the DECLARATION of Mr. Marston.

An IDS was filed on July 1, 2004.

A Supplemental IDS is filed concurrently with this paper.

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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

This response is being submitted within the third month following the end of the response period set by the Office Action and is accompanied by a three month extension of time fee. If a greater or lesser fee is required, please charge or credit Deposit Account No. 22-0261 accordingly and notify the undersigned.

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